

## GLEN ECHO'S FOURTH.

PLENTY OF FIREWORKS, MUSIC,  
FUN, AND SPEECHMAKING.

It Was an Old-Fashioned Celebration  
and the Big Crowd Enjoyed Itself—  
G. A. R. Men Go Out in Force to  
Attend.

A good old-fashioned noisy anniversary of the Declaration of Independence began in Glen Echo at midnight sharp, first with the ringing of the three big bells at the gate. Then followed firing of crackers, pistols, guns, and the din of many melodious voices trying to keep up with a bugle call, and the bum! bum! bum! of the big bass drum. All the old boys as well as young Americans on the grounds contributed their quota to this midnight jollification. The jolly fellows paraded up and down the walks and serenaded everybody promiscuously. The rallying cry was, "Siss, boom, Glen Echo, Glen Echo Chautauqua!" and the echoes took up and repeated the salutation until the merry fellows reached the Red Cross Building, when they changed the cry to "What's the matter with Clara Barton?" "She's all right!" was shouted back. "Rah, rah, rah!"

Quiet settled over camp a little before daylight. The crowds of visitors were delighted. The Grand Army of the Republic were the guests of the Chautauqua board, having been invited some months ago. Right heartily did they respond to the invitation, and between three and four thousand people visited Glen Echo yesterday. At 11:30 the detailed battery from the War Department appeared, with guns and caissons drawn by four horses each, and the men well mounted and equipped in holiday attire. They halted on the north side of the grounds, in the open, and fired a salute of 100 guns. The entrance to the grounds was draped with garrison flags, and the Amphitheatre made an equally gay appearance. The interior was appropriately draped. The best audience of the season collected there by 2 p. m., when the opening ceremonies began.

Chaplain York made the opening prayer, which was followed by Roger's Band playing the "Hunting Chorus." Chancellor Gillet then called for the Chautauqua salute "to the flag and to our country." It was given with a will. Dr. Gillet introduced Commander Pipes, whose address was very appropriate and well received. Colonel Willis, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, made an appropriate address. Colonel Pipes read the Declaration of Independence. The audience sang "America" to the accompaniment of the great organ and Roger's Band, led by Professor Boker. Immediately after Clinton Lloyd made an enthusiastic old-time spread-eagle oration.

At 4 o'clock there was a grand concert by all the musical force on the ground. Mr. C. B. Hanford also gave a recitation of "The Star Spangled Banner," which was most effective.

In the evening Assistant Secretary Willis made an address on the governmental care of flowers, and Dr. Elliott talked to good purpose on "The National Flower." After all was over in the Amphitheatre two campfires blazed, one in the open field, round which the veterans and sons gathered; and the other under the canvas at Hotel Potomac. Speeches numerous and apt were made at each place.

The Potomac Woman's Relief Corps were represented at Glen Echo yesterday by the president, Mrs. Prentiss, and the vice president, Mrs. Wisler, and 150 officers and members.

## Glen Echo Notes.

Mrs. Ham C. Addison is at Glen Echo.

On Monday there will be a grand temperance meeting at Glen Echo.

Mrs. Jennie Hall Wade, of Brooklyn, the ballad singer, left Glen Echo on Tuesday.

Mrs. Susie Birch Jennings left Glen Echo on Friday to go to Chautauqua, where she has a cottage.

Professor J. B. DeMotte concluded his scientific lectures on Tuesday night. His subjects were all relating to electricity.

Thursday afternoon the lecture at Glen Echo by ex-Senator Ingalls was a magnet that drew all his old friends and enthusiastic admirers from Washington to the Amphitheatre.

On Tuesday evening after the lecture in the Amphitheatre Secretary and Mrs. L. de F. Jennings tendered an informal reception to Dr. Gillet, the Chancellor, and Mrs. Gillet, in their beautiful reception tent.

Mr. Edwin Baltzley's tent on Faculty Hill is now completed, and the family have taken up their abode there by day. Mrs. Baltzley is a very beautiful woman, with artistic tastes, which have been displayed in the arrangement of her tent.

Miss Jane Meade Welch concluded a most interesting course of six historical lectures at Glen Echo on Monday. Miss Welch was urged to take up her winter residence in Washington. She has returned to her home in Buffalo to enjoy a much needed rest.

One of the finest appointed and most daintily homelike tents on the grounds is situated on Oxford Road and was put up by J. C. Campbell for a summer residence for his invalid sister, Miss Louisa A. Campbell, of Philadelphia. There are five apartments in this canvas house, consisting of a sitting-room, two bedrooms, a dining-room, and kitchen.

## National Rifles' Excursion.

The National Rifles' will give an excursion to Marshall Hall Wednesday, July 8, 1891, on the steamer Charles Macalester, leaving at 6:30 p. m. The excursions of this popular command are always among the best managed and most enjoyable of the season.

## Half Rates to the Northwest via B. &amp; O. R. R.

On account of the convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at Minneapolis, Minn., July 9 to 12, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to that city from all stations on its lines from July 6 to 8, inclusive, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. These cheap rates are not restricted to delegates, but are open to the general public. Tickets will be valid for return journey on trains leaving Minneapolis July 12 to 15, inclusive. Those desiring to remain longer can do so by depositing their tickets for safe keeping with the agent of the terminal railroad at Minneapolis until they wish to begin their return journey, such date not to be later than August 20, 1891.

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## THE ARMY AND THE NAVY

## ARMY NOTES.

Leave for one month has been granted Lieutenant Charles S. Hall.

The leave of Lieutenant William M. Wright has been extended two months.

Leave of absence for two months has been granted to Second Lieutenant Joseph C. Beardsley.

The leave of Lieutenant-Colonel Edwin Y. Sumner, Eighth Cavalry, has been extended one month.

Leave of absence for two months has been granted First Lieutenant James A. Irons, Twentieth Infantry.

First Lieutenant Edward Davis, Third Artillery, has been ordered to duty as adjutant of the artillery school, Fort Monroe, relieving Captain L. V. Cazzare, Second Artillery, ordered to join his battery.

The following transfers in the Seventh Cavalry have been ordered: Second Lieutenant John A. Harman, from Troop A to Troop L, and Second Lieutenant Thomas Q. Donaldson, jr., from Troop C to Troop M.

The following named officers, having completed the course of study at the United States Infantry and Cavalry School, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., have been ordered to join their proper stations by September 1, 1891: Second Lieutenant George E. French, Fourth Infantry, and Second Lieutenant George A. Detchemendy, Sixth Infantry.

The following assignments in the artillery arm have been made: Additional Second Lieutenant Daniel W. Ketcham, Second Artillery, to a vacancy of second lieutenant in the Second Artillery, Battery G. Additional Second Lieutenant William S. McNair, Third Artillery, to a vacancy of second lieutenant in the Fifth Artillery, Battery E, to date from June 15, 1891, vice Procter, retired. He will remain on duty with the Third Artillery until further orders.

The following assignments to regiments of officers recently promoted have been ordered: Artillery—First Lieutenant Isaac N. Lewis, to the Second Artillery, Battery D. Infantry—Lieutenant Colonel John B. Parke, to the Second Infantry. He will be assigned to a station in the Department of the Platte. Major Henry B. Freeman, to the Sixteenth Infantry. Captain George K. McGunagle, to the Fifteenth Infantry, Company I. Captain Edgar B. Robertson, to the Ninth Infantry, Company E. Captain Charles A. Booth, to the Seventh Infantry, Company K.

The general court-martial appointed to meet at West Point May 23 has been dissolved and another court appointed to meet there Thursday for the trial of such prisoners as may be brought before it. The detail for the board is: Major Henry McElderry, surgeon; Captain William F. Spurgin, Twenty-first Infantry; Captain George McC. Derby, Corps of Engineers; Captain William H. Miller, assistant quartermaster; First Lieutenant John A. Lundeen, Fourth Artillery; First Lieutenant John D. C. Hoskin, Third Artillery; First Lieutenant Edward E. Harding, Seventh Infantry; First Lieutenant James S. Pettit, First Infantry; First Lieutenant Harry F. Hodges, Corps of Engineers; First Lieutenant John A. Johnston, Eighth Cavalry; First Lieutenant William W. Forsyth, Sixth Cavalry; Second Lieutenant Charles H. McKinstry, Corps of Engineers; First Lieutenant Frank S. Harlow, First Artillery, judge advocate.

## NAVY AND MARINE CORPS.

The leave of Major Louis H. Carpenter has been extended two months.

Commander Edwin M. Sayward has been ordered to the navy yard, New York, July 7.

Robert Boyd has been appointed an assistant surgeon in the Navy from June 24.

Commander Robey D. Evans has been ordered to command the Yorktown, July 16.

Lieutenant A. E. Culver has been detached from the Navy Yard, Washington, and ordered to duty in the Bureau of Ordnance.

Commander F. E. Chadwick has been detached from the command of the Yorktown, July 16, and ordered to continue on duty as a member of the board of which Captain Phyllis is presiding officer.

Orders have been sent to the Pensacola, now at Callao, to return to the United States and repair at the Mare Island, Cal., navy yard. Admiral McCann, who is the commander-in-chief of the South Atlantic station, will also come to the United States by steamer. The cause for the order is said to be the necessity for repairing the Pensacola, an old wooden ship, and the need for the services of one of the two admirals now in the South Pacific elsewhere. The South Atlantic station will be left without a flagship for the present, but after the naval manœuvres the Newark will probably be sent down.

Secretary Tracy has made the following appointments in the Norfolk navy yard. In all cases they are the names of the persons recommended for appointment to the places by the naval examining board. Under the construction bureau—Master shipwright, W. F. Smith; master joiner, F. J. Durham; master shipfitter (inside), W. F. Owens; master shipsmith, William Scrimgeour; master plumber, C. E. Richardson; master boatbuilder, R. H. McLean; quartermaster sparmaker, G. A. Bailey; quartermaster painter in charge, W. S. Lawrence; quartermaster caulker in charge, W. S. Lawrence; quartermaster in charge laborers, E. G. Lewis; pattern-maker in charge of shop, John Wilson. Under yards and dock foreman—Laborer, L. J. Smith. Under steam engineering—Master machinist, W. H. Fairless; master boiler-maker, William T. Boole. All of the appointees are residents of Portsmouth or Norfolk except Master Plumber Richardson, who is a Washingtonian.

## Reduced Rates for Educational Meeting at Toronto via Pennsylvania Railroad.

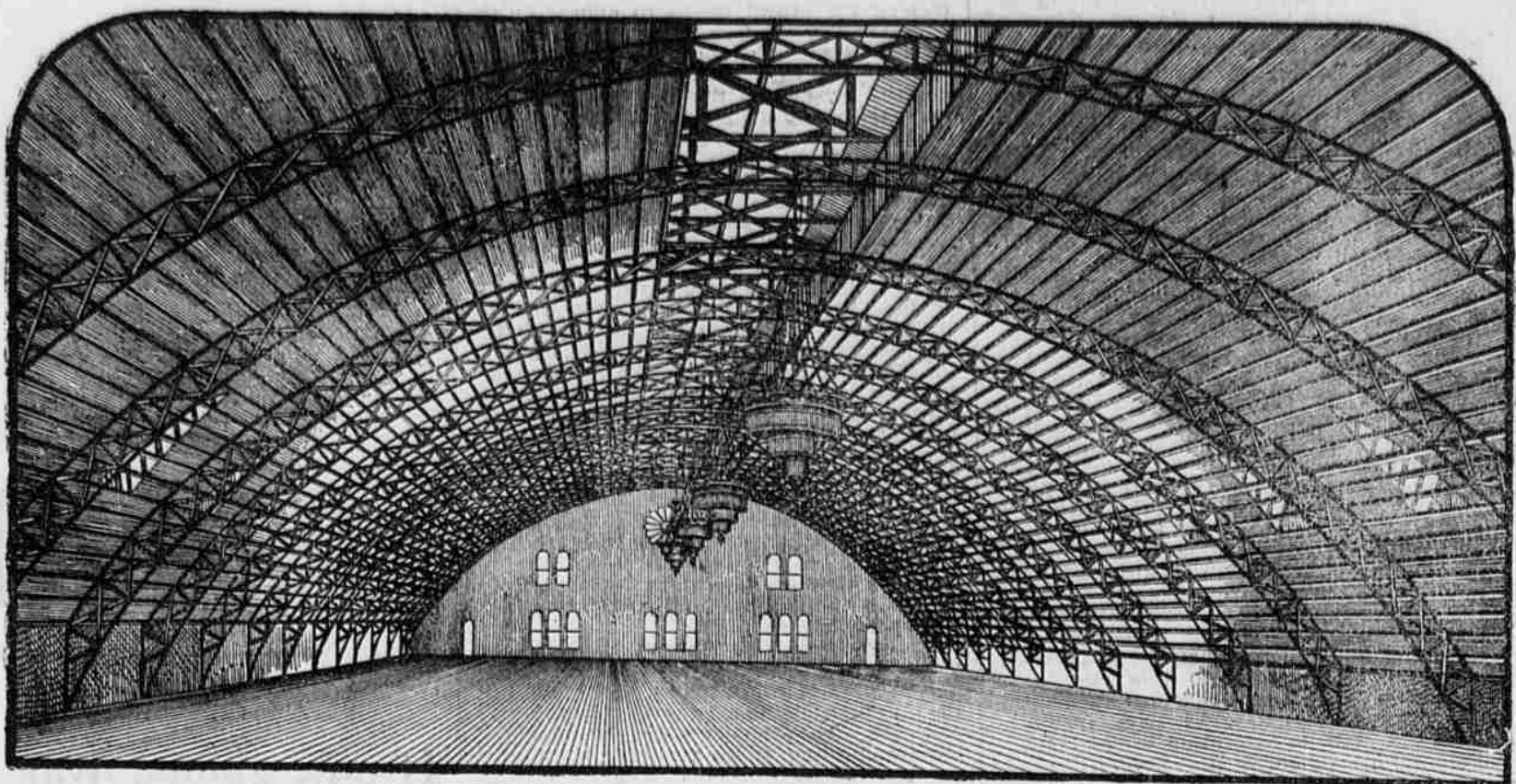
For meeting of the National Educational Association at Toronto, July 14 to 17, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell round-trip tickets at one fare, which is \$13.80 from Washington. These tickets will be sold July 8 to 15, and will be good for return July 14 to 20, and by presenting the tickets to joint agent at Toronto they can be extended to September 25. The Pennsylvania route is via Watkins Glen and Niagara Falls. Detailed information can be obtained on information to R. A. Parke, passenger agent, Sixth-street station.

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## OFFICE OF

## Northern Liberty Market Association,

Washington, D. C., June 23, 1891.

The erection of a large public hall in Washington has for many years been urged by individual citizens and advocated by the newspapers as indispensable to the growth and prosperity of the city. It has been found, however, that the ground could not be secured in a suitable location, and a proper building erected for less than \$300,000, and that it would be impossible to offer the inducement of any dividend on such an amount of money. In ordinary commercial cities energetic business men and public-spirited wealthy citizens might readily subscribe such a sum for such a purpose, knowing that the indirect profits from the investment would amply repay them. In Washington, however, the conditions of trade and society are different from those of other cities and do not seem to have justified the subscription of such a large amount of money for such a purpose, and there seems no possibility of ever obtaining the public hall, recognized as a public necessity, except in the manner now proposed by us.

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The present net revenues of the market amount to over \$4,000 a year, which in itself assures 7 per cent. annual dividend on the \$50,000 of preferred stock issued.

It would make no difference to the holders of the preferred stock if the hall never yielded one penny of revenue, or if the present revenues of the market never increased. As a matter of fact, however, the revenues of the market certainly can never be less than they have been within the past few years of neglect and decay from which they have suffered, and are already rapidly increasing under the present management and improvements; and as a matter of fact it may reasonably be accepted that the hall itself will yield a large revenue. The 7 per cent. dividend on this preferred stock may therefore be said to be absolutely assured, and as nearly as possible guaranteed.

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